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TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

PLANNING DECISION NOTICE - PERMISSION

S6/2010/3095/MA

Erection of single storey garage

at: 1 Northaw Place Coopers Lane Northaw POTTERS BAR

Agent Name And Address

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Applicant Name And Address

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In pursuance of their powers under the above mentioned Act and the Orders and Regulations for the time being in force thereunder, the Council hereby **PERMIT** the development proposed by you in your application received with sufficient particulars on 24/12/2010 and shown on the plan(s) accompanying such application, subject to the following conditions:-

1. The works to which this consent relates shall be begun before the expiration of three years from the date of this consent.

REASON: In order to comply with Section 18 (1) of the Planning (Listed Buildings and Conservation Areas) Act 1990 (As amended).

2. The development/works shall not be started and completed other than in accordance with the approved plans and details: G1116 & 1000 & G1113 & G2114 & G2115 received and dated 24 December 2010 unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

REASON: To ensure that the development is carried out in accordance with the approved drawings and any changes must be agreed in advance in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

3. The development hereby approved shall only be carried out, either in conjunction with or following the implementation of the works approved within the Listed Building applications under references S6/2009/2702/LB and S6/2010/0273/LB.

REASON: The proposed development would not be acceptable unless it forms a larger scheme of works, which are only consider acceptable within the Green Belt due to the very special circumstances advanced within this application, which are considered outweighs the harm to the Green Belt and will ensure the restoration of the main Listed Building. To ensure that the development is in compliance with PPG2 the redevelopment of the site must be considered as a whole.

PRE-DEVELOPMENT

4. No development shall take place until samples of materials to be used in the construction of the external surfaces of the building hereby permitted shall be submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The development shall be implemented using the approved materials. Subsequently, the approved materials shall not be changed without the prior written consent of the Local Planning Authority.

REASON: To ensure a satisfactory standard of development in the interests of visual amenity in accordance with Policies GBSP2, D1 and D2 of the Welwyn Hatfield District Plan 2005.

- 5. No development shall take place until full details on a suitably scaled plan of both hard and soft landscape works have been submitted to and approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The development shall not be carried out other than in accordance with the approved details unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority. The landscaping details to be submitted shall include:-
- e) hard surfacing, other hard landscape features and materials
- f) existing trees, hedges or other soft features to be retained and a method statement showing tree protection measures to be implemented for the duration of the construction
- g) planting plans, including specifications of species, sizes, planting centres, number and percentage mix, and details of seeding or turfing
- h) details of planting or features to be provided to enhance the value of the development for biodiversity and wildlife

REASON: The landscaping of this site is required in order to protect and enhance the existing visual character of the area and to reduce the visual and environmental impacts of the development hereby permitted in accordance with Policy D8 of the Welwyn Hatfield District Plan 2005.

- 6. (a) No retained tree or shrub shall be cut down, uprooted or destroyed, nor shall any retained tree or shrub be pruned other than in accordance with the approved plans and particulars, without the written approval of the Local Planning Authority. Any topping or lopping approved shall be carried out in accordance with British Standard 3998 (Tree Work).
- (b) If any retained tree or shrub is removed, uprooted or destroyed or dies, another tree or shrub shall be planted at the same place and that tree or shrub shall be of such size and species, and shall be planted at such time, as may be specified in writing by the Local Planning Authority.
- (c) The erection of fencing for the protection of any retained tree shrub or hedge shall be undertaken in accordance with details approved in writing by the Local Planning Authority to comply with the recommendation of British Standard 5837 (2005) before any equipment, machinery or materials are brought on to the site for the purposes of the

development, and shall be maintained until all equipment, machinery and surplus materials have been removed from the site. Nothing shall be stored or placed in any area fenced in accordance with this condition and the ground levels within those areas shall not be altered, nor shall any excavation be made, without the written consent of the Local Planning Authority. No fires shall be lit within 20 metres of the retained trees and shrubs.

In this condition, retained tree or shrub, means an existing tree or shrub, as the case may be, which is to be retained in accordance with the approved plans and particulars; and paragraphs (a) and (b) above shall have effect until the expiration of [five years] from [the date of the occupation of the building for its permitted use]

REASON: To protect the existing trees, shrubs and hedgerows in the interest of visual amenity in accordance with Policy D8 of the Welwyn Hatfield District Plan 2005.

- 7. A. No demolition/development shall take place/commence until an Archaeological Written Scheme of Investigation has been submitted to and approved by the local planning authority in writing. The scheme shall include an assessment of archaeological significance and research questions; and:
- 1. The programme and methodology of site investigation and recording
- 2. The programme and methodology of site investigation and recording as suggested by the archaeological evaluation
- 3. The programme for post investigation assessment
- 4. Provision to be made for analysis of the site investigation and recording
- 5. Provision to be made for publication and dissemination of the analysis and records of the site investigation
- 6. Provision to be made for archive deposition of the analysis and records of the site investigation
- 7. Nomination of a competent person or persons/organisation to undertake the works set out within the Archaeological Written Scheme of Investigation.
- B. The development shall not be occupied/used until the archaeological investigation and post investigation assessment has been completed in accordance with the programme set out in the Archaeological Written Scheme of Investigation approved under condition (A) and the provision made for analysis.

REASON: To enable the inspection of the site by qualified persons for the investigation and recording of archaeological remains in accordance with PPS5 and the Historic Environment and policy ENV6 of the East of England Plan 2008.

POST-DEVELOPMENT

8. All planting seeding or turfing and soil preparation comprised in the above details of landscaping shall be carried out in the first planting and seeding seasons following the occupation of the buildings, the completion of the development, or in agreed phases whichever is the sooner: and any plants which within a period of five years from the completion of the development die, are removed or become seriously damaged or diseased shall be replaced in the next planting season with others of similar size and species, unless the Local Planning Authority gives written consent to any variation. All landscape works shall be carried out in accordance with the guidance contained in

British Standards, unless otherwise agreed in writing by the Local Planning Authority.

REASON: To ensure proper implementation of the agreed landscape details in the interest of the amenity value of the development in accordance with Policy D8 of the Welwyn Hatfield District Plan 2005.

REASONS FOR APPROVAL

The proposal has been considered against Planning Policy Statement/Guidance PPS1, PPG2, PPS5, PPG13, East of England Plan 2008 policies SS1, ENV2, ENV6, ENV7 and development plan policies SD1, GBSP1, R3, R29, RA3, RA10, D1, D2 and D8 of the Welwyn Hatfield District Plan 2005, in addition to the Human Rights Act 1998, which indicate that the proposal should be approved. Material planning considerations do not justify a decision contrary to the Development Plan (see Officer's report which can be inspected at these offices).

Date: 27/04/2011

Tracy Harvey

Head of Development Control